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Houses Demolished—Railroad Tracks and Trains Swallowed Up—Several Persons Killed and Injured—Miraculous Escapes and Rescues.

ST. LOUIS, July 27.—The most terrific explosion in the history of St. Louis occurred at 4:25 o'clock yesterday afternoon, in the vicinity of Fourth street and Chouteau avenue. Three people are known to have been killed, four seriously injured, and two persons are missing. The explosion is thought to have been due to the generation of gas in the Mill Creek sewer, one of the largest in the system, presumably the result of the recent disastrous fire at the Waters-Pierce Oil Co.'s works.

Three muffled reports similar to distant cannonading, and a shock as if an earthquake had occurred, startled this portion of the city at the hour named. Immediately the earth opened in a chasm 15 feet wide, and extending over the greater portion of four blocks. Starting at 1014 South Fourth street, the first floor of the wholesale liquor house of Carl Fuchs' was blown clear of its supports and a number of men were thrown in the air only to fall into the yawning sewer which flowed under the house. This was the first of three explosions. In instantaneous succession there followed a second and third explosion and a train of cars and 200 feet of railroad track were lifted in like manner and then sank into the earth.

The force of the explosion was terrific. Mill Creek sewer is constructed with arch stones averaging eighteen inches square. They apparently offered no resistance to the more than dynamite force. For twenty feet on both sides of the sewer the earth was seamed with apertures from one to three inches wide. The worst effects were felt from Fourth street to the river, but as far up as Twelfth street houses were severely shaken all along the passage of the sewer and the earth was cracked.

Standing at the bar at 1014 South Fourth street, just before the explosion, were three or four men besides the bartender, Charles Miller, and the proprietor, Carl Fuchs. When the explosion occurred they were all hurled upward and fell under a mass of debris into the immense sewer beneath. So far as is known only one escaped alive, R. J. Tunstall. He was carried away by the rushing water, disappeared underground for a distance of 100 feet, and was rescued on his reappearance at one of the large holes caused by the explosion below. He was badly injured and will likely die from these and the inhalation of gas. Upstairs lived a family named Tempe, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Tempe and two children of 8 and 10 years of age. Mrs. Tempe was seated on the back porch. She was hurled through the air a distance of fifty feet into the alley, and received injuries from which she died a few hours later. She was removed to Schnaider's hotel, a few door's south, and physicians ineffectively endeavored to save her, but the shock and her age in addition to internal injuries rendered all efforts unavailing. The two children, a boy and a girl, escaped with slight injuries. Mr. Tempe was asleep in the rear of the third story and suffered no injury. The only other occupant of the house, Dr. Bowler, was also unhurt.

The demolition of the first floor was complete. The front was blown into the middle of Fourth street, sixty feet distant. The rear was blown far out into the Iron Mountain yards and scattered over two blocks of territory. In the cellar were stored a hundred or more barrels of liquor. They, with the floor of the first story, the bar and fixtures and the great rock forming the arch of the sewer were piled in indescribable confusion upon each other, and under them lay Miller, Fuchs and the men who had been drinking at the bar.

The heaviest pressure of the gas lay between Fourth street and the river, because there was no considerable damage done above Fourth. At Seventh and Gratiot, Engine-house 24, in the alley back of the morgue, Seventh and Poplar, Twelfth and Pine and at Twelfth and Spruce the heavy caps over the manholes were blown off, and the sidewalks around them were torn up for some distance.

The first man to be extricated from the ruins was Jacob Magboy. He was pinned down by an eight by eight beam which fell across his leg. He was delirious from the inhalation of gas and the shock and fought the firemen after his release. His leg was broken, but he was otherwise uninjured. He was removed to the City hospital, and at last accounts was resting easy. He is supposed to be one of the party drinking at the bar when the explosion came.

Latest from the South Carolina Race War.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 26.—Reports from the scene of the race trouble today are to the effect that the night was passed quietly, both sides resting on their arms. A messenger says that shots were heard in the vicinity of Lexington jail early this morning. No more trouble is anticipated till tonight, but troops will probably be ordered by that time.

The President's Vacation.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—The president will leave Washington to spend the month of August at Loon lake with Mrs. Harrison, just as soon as Congress adjourns. On September he expects to go to Cape May Point, where he will rest in his "summer castle," the same as last year.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—The eighth regiment, Pennsylvania state guard, has been ordered home from Homestead

—Chief of Public Safety Murphy of Allegheny City, Pa., says that a warrant is out for the arrest of Herr Most.

—At 11:00 a. m. yesterday five police officers arrested in Allegheny City, Pa., Henry Bauer, the head center of the anarchists of that region.

A petition is to be presented to the county court of Allegheny county, Pa., asking it to appoint a tribunal of arbitration to settle the Homestead trouble.

—A terrific hail and wind-storm swept through the northern part of Kossuth county, Ia., Monday, ruining all crops and doing much damage to buildings.

—The six-story brick building occupied by the New York Biscuit Co., on Tenth avenue, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, New York, was burned yesterday. According to the police returns the loss is $300,000.

—The friends of Hugh J. Fay, the comedian, are rejoicing at the news that his reported death, ten days ago, has no foundation in fact. Cablegrams from both the actor and his bride to friends in Stamford, Conn., state that he is very much alive in Liverpool.

—At Rueil, near St. Germain, France, a temporary theater collapsed Monday evening. About 700 people were in the structure, and of these eighty were injured by the fall, but no person was killed. The theater had been hastily constructed, without sufficient strength in the supports

—A. W Alexander returned to his home in New Orleans, late Monday night, with the avowed purpose of killing all the members of his family. His wife's brother, A. H. James, who had been advised of his intention, met him at the door, and upon the first suspicious movement shot him dead.

—The police department of Pittsburgh, Pa., has received a dispatch from Superintendent O'Mara at Long Branch, saying that at 4 a. m., yesterday, he effected the arrest of the German baker Mollick, who sent the express packages containing money that were received by Berkman in Pittsburgh last week.

—A boat containing five Americans was capsized in the river Reuss at Lucerne, Switzerland One lady, Mrs. Ann E. Sargo, was drowned. The other occupants of the boat were rescued by people on the banks of the stream. Mrs. Sargo's body has not been recovered Her home was in St. Joseph, Mo.

—At Coalburg, Ala., yesterday, the headless corpse of Albert Guthier was found in the road. He had been killed by knife wounds and decapitated by his slayer, Albert Freeman. Both men are ex-convicts and had evidently renewed an old quarrel while riding along together. Freeman disappeared with a mining company's mule, and bloodhounds are on his trail.

FIFTY-SECOND CONGRESS.

First Session.

SENATE.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—The senate, with the temperature ranging between 90 and 100, passed the whole day in discussing the tariff. Mr Aldrich (R. I.), chairman of the subcommittee on finance, which, during the summer, has been investigating the effects of the McKinley bill upon the cost of the necessaries of life, made an elaborate and carefully prepared protection speech. He was replied to in part by Mr Vest (Mo.), and a further reply was promised from Mr. Carlisle (Ky.) before adjournment

The senate took an important step in the direction of adjournment by adopting the report of its conferees on the deficiency bill, leaving only the sundry civil bill to be disposed of. Anti-option was shelved for the day, but it is expected that to-morrow a vote will be taken on the Wolcott resolution to postpone that question till next December.

HOUSE.

Although the air was intensely stifling in the house, over 150 members answered to their names on the roll call. Many divested themselves of their coats and vests and lounged about the lobbies Bills were passed setting apart lands in Oklahoma territory for school purposes; forbidding railroads to charge more than three cents per mile on passenger fares in Indian territory and Oklahoma, and permitting the people of the territory of Utah to make an exhibit at the World's fair

The conference report upon the deficiency appropriation bill was agreed to. The appropriation for the French spoliation claims amounting to $787,795 was omitted. The appropriations in the bill amounted to $5,000,319 being $323,589 less than as passed by the house. The conference report on the sundry civil bill was offered by Mr. Holman (dem., Ind.) all the items in dispute being agreed to, excepting those relating to the World's fair appropriation; the appropriation for the national commission, and the employment of Pinkerton detectives at the Grand Army of the Republic encampment in Washington, next September. It was agreed that a vote on these items should be taken at 12 o'clock to-morrow. Debate then ensued on the bill Mr. Holman yielded his time to the following members, who spoke against the World's fair Mr Outhwaite (dem., O.), Mr. Wheeler (dem., Ala.), Mr. Washington (dem., Tenn.), Mr. Combs (dem., N. Y.) and Mr Ottis (F. A., Kan.) The only speeches in favor of it were made by Mr Abner Taylor (rep., Ill.), Mr O'Neill (rep., Pa.), Mr. Scott (dem., Ill.) and Mr. Boatner (dem. La.)

BASEBALL.

National League and American Association.

The following games were played yesterday:

AT BOSTON.

Bostons	0	0	3	0	5	0	0	1	1	—10
Louisvilles	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	—4

Batteries—Nichols and Kelly; Stratton and Grim

AT NEW YORK

New Yorks	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Clevelands	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	—4

Batteries—Rusie and Doyle; Cuppy, Young and Zimmer.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphias	5	0	3	4	0	0	2	0	*	—20
Cincinnatis	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	—3

Batteries—Carsey and Cross and Clements; Rhines, Holliday, Chamberlain and Harrington and Vaughn.

AT BALTIMORE.

Chicagos	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	*	—3
Baltimores	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—2

Batteries—Luby and Schriver; Vickery and Robinson.

AT BROOKLYN.

Brooklyns	0	3	1	0	1	1	2	1	*	—12
Pittsburghs	0	2	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	—5

Batteries—Haddock and Tom Daly; Terry, Gumbert and Mack.

AT WASHINGTON.

Washingtons	0	1	4	1	0	0	3	0	0	2—10
St. Louis	0	0	0	2	0	1	4	1	0	0 0—8

Batteries—Killen and McGuire; Broitenstein and Moran

Scheduled Games for To-Day.

St Louis at Baltimore
Chicagos at Washington.
Cincinnatis at Boston.
Clevelands at Brooklyn.
Louisvilles at New York.
Pittsburghs at Philadelphia.

Not Much Money but Ample Vindication.

WILMINGTON, Del., July 27.—A Wilmington lawyer has received a draft for $800 from Berne, Switzerland, which was the amount of the indemnity paid by the canton of Berne for the false imprisonment for five days of five Americans who had been arrested as pickpockets. The men were George B. Mulford, of New York; Charles E. Coates, of Baltimore, and E. E. Hanf, Frank L. Baker and Charles Griffith, of this city. The costs of the suit brought were also paid by the canton.

A SEXUAL PERVERT.

Alice Mitchell Declared Insane by Expert Witnesses.

A KNOCKOUT FOR THE PROSECUTION.

Alice Probably Inherited Her Insane Temperament from Her Mother—A Fit Subject for Medical Treatment in an Asylum.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., July 27.—The state was "knocked out" yesterday by the testimony of experts in the Alice Mitchell case. The first witness, Dr. Sale, president of the Mississippi Medical association, testified that he examined Miss Mitchell no longer ago than last Sundry, and from his conversation of the subject he thought she was insane.

Dr. J. H. Callendar, of Nashville, medical superintendent of the Central insane asylum and the holder of the chair of physiology and brain diseases in the Vanderbilt university, was the next expert to take the stand. As Dr. Callendar was one of the physicians who acted as medical expert in the Guiteau case, his testimony was eagerly listened to by all of the lawyers and jurymen. He said that insanity might not be inherited, but the insane temperament could be passed from mother to child, or from father to child. This temperament is more likely to be inherited from the mother than from the father. The first fact that impressed him in contemplation of this case was that Alice probably inherited her insane temperament from her mother. Being of an insane temperament, it is not surprising that on meeting Freda Ward, when she (Alice) had reached the age of puberty, the love she had for Freda developed into an ardent passion. This became more and more a passionate love until it surpassed that which a man might bear toward a woman. This love, being interrupted, became a fixed delusion. Her whole soul and being absorbed in this unnatural attachment, she became truly a sexual pervert. It did not follow from this that she was insane, yet this was an insane delusion. She told the physician in his interview with her that she intended to follow Freda Ward to the boat, kill her, and then cut her own throat. In her excitement she forgot all about carrying out the latter part of her plan. He then stated that he thought she was insane, but indicated how she might be cured. The witness thought she was a subject for medical treatment in an asylum.

In reply to a question from the attorney-general, Mr. Callendar said that proper uterine treatment might cure Miss Mitchell. The physician stated that this was the first case of sexual perversion that he ever saw, and he thought the subject should be kept in seclusion.

Dr. Campbell, superintendent of the Eastern Asylum for the Insane at Knoxville, had been summoned by the state, but he was placed on the stand by the defense, and he gave it out freely that he thought Alice Mitchell was insane.

Here the defense rested.

To-day the state will begin the task of attempting to counteract the expert testimony, but the opinion prevails that the case is already won by the lawyers for the defense.

SUCCESSFULLY LAUNCHED.

The New Cruiser Columbia Launched and Christened by Miss Morton.

PHILADELPHIA, July 27.—The new cruiser Columbia was successfully launched at 3:05 yesterday afternoon.

As she slid from the ways Miss Edith Morton, eldest daughter of Vice-President Morton, christened her "Columbia" with a gaily decorated bottle of champagne. Upon a white satin band around the bottle is a hand-painting of the Columbia running at full speed. Suspended from the bottle are red, white and golden-colored streamers, of date of the launching, and the names of Miss Morton and the boat. Miss Morton will keep the bottle as a souvenir of the occasion.

The party on the christening platform included Secretary of the Navy Benjamin F. Tracy, Vice-President and Mrs. Morton and Misses Edith and Helen Morton.

The ladies carried bouquets of roses and H. Cramp of the ship building firm stood at the side of the fair christener, as prompter. There were several hundred persons from Washington, New York and elsewhere on the platform. The cruiser gracefully slid from the ways and beautifully settled in the water. As the stern struck the river every whistle in the vicinity began shrieking and the pandemonium continued for some minutes. The Columbia's anchor was cast when the middle of the river was reached.

Alarming Mortality.

CLEVELAND, O., July 26.—The most alarming mortality record that this city has had in years was the one for the twenty-four hours ending at noon to-day. There were reported at the health office during that time forty-eight deaths. The intense heat of the past few days was directly responsible for 75 per cent. of the deaths. Forty of the victims were children under 2 years of age, and the principal causes of death in their cases were cholera infantum, exhaustion, marasmus and convulsions.

Arrested for Embezzlement.

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 27.—Frank C. Foster, cashier of the Buffalo Ice Co., was arrested Monday night, charged with embezzlement $10,000 from the company His method of manipulating the accounts is said to have been very similar to that of Dann, the savings bank wrecker. Foster is about 50 years old and married. He was much given to playing the horses, and it is supposed a great part of the stolen money was lost in that way.

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For twenty-five cents you can insure yourself and family against any bad results from an attack of bowel complaint during the summer. One or two doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy will cure any ordinary case. It never fails and is pleasant and safe to take. No family can afford to be without it. For sale at 25 and 50 cents per bottle at Meister's Pharmacy and by Sweeringen & Tyler, druggists. d&w

EX-SENATOR INGALLS is now in Vienna, whence he will go to Rome and then back to Berlin, where he has already made a brief stay. He will return home by way of Paris and London about

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THE CORONER'S INQUEST

In the Case of the Ten Victims of the Homestead Riot.

PITTSBURGH, July 27.—Coroner McMowell, yesterday afternoon, resumed the inquest in the case of the ten victims of the Homestead riot of July 6. Much of the evidence taken was in the form of technical description of the injuries sustained by the victims, the testimony upon this point being given by Drs. Mager, Walker and Zipp, of the Homeopathic hospital, and Walker McKenna, of the Pennsylvania hospital.

Capt. O. C. Coons a Homestead merchant, testified that the first firing came from the boats. He said that when he was rushing down to the landing, before the boat had reached the mill-yard, O'Donnell overtook him and begged him to help in trying to stop the men from landing without trouble.

The other witnesses were Wm. Mansfield, David Lynch, chairman of the police; Alfred Oates, an employe of the mills; Geo. Rutter, whose son was killed, and Deputy Sheriff Jos. H. Gray. The latter testified that shots were fired at the Little Bill all the way down the river and that the first firing came from the mill men.

The rest of the witnesses were about equally divided on this issue. The inquest will be resumed and finally concluded on Tuesday next.

Mexican Intelligence.

CITY OF MEXICO, July 27.—The supreme military court confirms the death sentence against Col. Neieves Hernandez. The sentence will undoubtedly be commuted by President Diaz in view of the colonel's past service.

Ex-President Bogran, of Honduras, has fled to the United States. Ceiba and Trujillo are still held by the revolutionists, and President Leiva desires peace at any price.

In an interview, yesterday, President Diaz, referring to the silver question, said the decline in the price of silver would undoubtedly have a prejudicial effect upon Mexico for the reason that not only the government, but the merchants, investors and exporters are obliged to place their money abroad, and therefore a high rate of exchange is extremely disadvantageous to them and is of no benefit to commerce, though it may be a good thing for exporters of agricultural products. The president added: "There is no crisis in Mexico. There is a partial paralysis of business, but that I hope will soon pass over."

He further said most positively that there was no truth in the rumor that customs duties will be increased, or that any new taxes are to be imposed. The government, he declared, would try in every way to foster commerce.

Sunstrokes in Chicago.

CHICAGO, July 27.—Yesterday's record of sunstrokes and prostrations from heat exceeds that of any day for many years. Up to 10 o'clock last evening seventy-nine cases of sunstroke, fourteen of which proved fatal, were reported to the police. At 9 o'clock yesterday morning the thermometer registered 87, and at 2 o'clock the mercury had climbed up to 94, where it remained until after sundown.

So numerous were the prostrations that it was with great difficulty that the suffering people could be taken to the hospital. At 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon there were fifty-six patients at the county hospital suffering from sunstroke.

A Miraculous Discovery.

ST. PETERSBURGH, July 27.—A sensation has been caused among the lower classes here by the miraculous discovery of an image of the Virgin in the foundation of the church that is being built on the spot where the Czar Alexander II. was murdered. It is said that the Virgin revealed the presence of the image to an old woman in a dream. The image was conveyed to the palace of the grand duchess in Catherine Michaelovna, where the court chaplain was the first to venerate it. Doubters assert that the story was concocted to quicken the zeal of the public in behalf of the church building fund.

From Alaska.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 27.—Advices received yesterday from Sitka say that the steam schooner Jennie, and the Alaska Commercial Co.'s schooners Rodiff and Lettie, have arrived there in charge of a prize crew from the United States steamer Mohican. They were seized on June 6, near Soldevia bay, for illegitimate sealing and fishing. They will probably be released on bond to appear before court here in April. Poachers continue to arrive at Fort Icher, but they are only allowed to repair damages or get fresh water. They have tried many devices to transfer their cargoes of seal skins, but all have been detected.

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THE NEW JUSTICE.

The Appointment of Geo. Shiras, Jr., of Pennsylvania,

TO THE BENCH OF THE SUPREME COURT

Unanimously Confirmed by the Senate—Sketch of the Distinguished Gentleman—Former Associate Justices from Pennsylvania.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—The senate has unanimously confirmed the nomination of George Shiras, Jr., to be an associate justice of the United States supreme court. The credit of this unanimous confirmation is due to the efforts of Senator Quay. He induced Senator Cameron to withdraw his opposition to Shiras.

Mr. Shiras is a native of Pennsylvania and his father and grandfather were also born in the smoky city. The father, at the age of 86, is still an active man. Early in life he was a brewer, but thirty years ago he retired from business. On the maternal side Mr. Shiras has also several generations of good Pennsylvania stock to his credit. His mother was the daughter of Rev. G. L. Peabody, who was one of the most eminent Presbyterian clergymen of his day.

George Shiras, Jr., was born in Pennsylvania in 1832. He passed creditably through the schools of the city and then entered Yale college. From this institution he was graduated in the famous class of 1853. He won the Hadley prize that year, and was first in a class that included Chauncey M. Depew, Justices Brower and Brown and many others who have won distinction. Thirty years after graduation Mr. Shiras received from Yale the degree of LL.D.

Before he left college Mr. Shiras had decided to become a lawyer. He entered the office of Judge Hepburn, and was admitted to practice in 1856. An elder brother, Oliver Perry Shiras, had settled at Dubuque, Ia., and there the young lawyer went to try his fortune. He did not remain long in the northwest, and in 1858 became a member of the Allegheny county bar as the partner of his preceptor. The brother remained in Dubuque and is now a judge of the United States district court.

Young Shiras soon proved his strength as counselor and pleader after he located in Allegheny county, and for twenty years past none have disputed his right to be considered the leader of a bar which has always been proud of the number of its eminent members. During this period he has appeared in nearly every great case originating in western Pennsylvania.

Almost from the beginning the law practice of Mr. Shiras has yielded large returns. Fifteen years ago he was credited with an income of $50,000 a year. In later years this has increased to not less than $75,000 a year.

No member of the bar is more highly esteemed for his personal qualities than is Mr. Shiras. The lines of his face indicate sternness, and his manner is dignified, but he is not hard to approach, and is running over with the milk of human kindness. Young attorneys know that Mr. Shiras is never too busy to see them if they want advice or assistance, and in consequence they all swear by him. Those with whom he associates on equal terms known him to be a delightful companion.

Mr. Shiras was married early in life to Miss Rebecca Kennedy, whose brother is now the Mayor of Allegheny City. Two sons, both leading young lawyers, blessed this union. The Shiras homestead is at the corner of Stockton and Sherman avenues, in Allegheny City, and is one of the quietly elegant residences of the city. Mr. Shiras, Sr., makes his home with his distinguished son, and the home life of the family is very pleasant. Mrs. Shiras is a highly accomplished woman, and is much sought after Neither Mr. Shiras nor his wife have ever come to be considered society people, however. Their names rarely figure in the reports of dinners, balls and receptions.

Judge Shiras is the fifth member of the supreme court appointed from the state of Pennsylvania. James Wilson was appointed by Washington and served from 1789 to 1798. Henry Baldwin was appointed by Gen. Jackson in 1830 and served until 1844. Robert C. Grier, was appointed by President Polk after the rejection of the late Chief Justice George W. Woodward, and served from 1846 to 1870. William Strong was appointed by Grant in 1870, and served until 1880.

AN AUCTIONEER.

No one knows better than an auctioneer the value of a medicine for the throat and lungs. J. A. Read, of Peoria, says: "I have been an auctioneer for twenty years, and have tried all kinds of remedies for the throat. I find that Reid's German Cough and Kidney Cure is the best thing that I ever took. I have been able by its use this winter to cry sales in the open air, when without it I could not have talked five minutes without being so hoarse that I could not speak. With Reid's German Cough and Kidney Cure I have been able to talk all day without fatigue. I can cheerfully recommend it to anyone using the voice as the best think of its kind they can possibly get." Actors and people who use the voice continually ought by all means to try this great remedy. If your druggist will not get it for you, write to us. Large bottle 50 cents, small ones 25 cents.

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Ladies' Fine Lawn and Dimity Wrappers, - - - -	1.75
Ladies' Wash Skirts at - - -	50c
Ladies' Wash Skirts at - - -	75c
Black Satteen Skirts at $1.50 and	$2
Black Silk Skirts at - -	$2.98
All of our Fine Silk skirts, worth $9, $10 and $12, will be closed out for	$5.95
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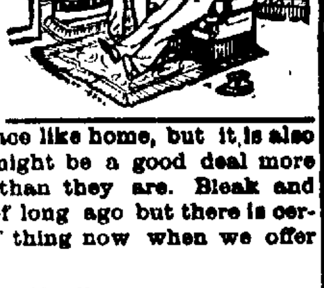

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WEDNESDAY EVE., JULY 27, 1892.

CLEVELAND has been photographed in four positions. Some waggish paper wonders if one of these positions is his position on the tariff.

BUT few of the 57 iron and steel mills covered by the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers have refused to sign the scale increasing wages presented by that association, and yet we do not hear a word on the part of these Democratic inter-meddlers about the division of property, except in the case of the Carnegie company mills at Homestead. Probably a little consistency would make these demagogues sick. By the way, none of the workingmen have invited the Democratic patriots to do their fighting for them.

THE dispatches yesterday announced that operatives of the West Superior Iron and Steel Company of West Superior, Wis., have struck because that company refused to sign the scale of wages presented by the association, and state that hereafter the mill will be run on non-union principles, while the striking men declare they will not permit non-union men to work. Here is another chance for intermeddling Democrats to raise the wind; but notwithstanding this opportunity the Democratic theory is that a laboring man in America is entitled to just the same wage a laboring man gets in Europe and not one cent more.

Why Not Kill All?

We are now informed by the "Alarm" that not only "several men" but many men expressed joy over the attempted assassination of Mr. Frick. Here is what the *Review* says:

If you would strike out the word "several" and insert in its stead hundreds you would still be within the bounds of truth. And it is further true that a great many citizens of Decatur who have heretofore been regarded as industrious and law-abiding went so far as to say they hoped Frick would die.

We repeat that the man who thus endorses assassination, whether the victim be Mr. Frick or a Decatur employer of labor, or a laborer, or any other American citizen, is an anarchist in sentiment and a murderer at heart, and we add is a dangerous citizen in times of excitement like the present. Alexander Berkman, the assailant of Mr. Frick yesterday expressed sorrow that the prospect for the wounded man's recovery was good, adding that he had no accomplice in the affair and all the credit is due him. He also said that the laboring men were with him and endorsed his act. The *Review* attempted to leave the impression that the laboring men of Decatur have expressed the ghoulish satisfaction it referred to over the act of the anarchist. In this respect, as the REPUBLICAN has held before, the *Review* and its class of partisans are no better than the anarchist.

It is not the laboring men of this city who have voiced such satisfaction, but the demagogue who is now appealing to his prejudices in the hope of getting his vote in the coming election. We challenge the *Review* to name ten sober upright laboring men in Decatur who are not slaves to the anarchistic element in the Democratic party that is now intermeddling in the homestead affair in the hope of getting votes for that party, who have endorsed the assassination of Mr. Frick.

Those who have expressed such satisfaction, to a man, are either men who have no respect for law or belong to that element in the Democratic party which on more than one occasion in the last 32 years, by their conduct, have made that party the apologist for its misdeeds. It is the same element that declared in a set of resolutions at a meeting in Peoria, August 3, 1864 as follows:

That we enter our solemn protest against the usurpation and lawless despotism of the present administration as subservient of the constitution and destructive of the liberties of the people. It has and is still urging a bloody and relentless war for the avowed purpose of exterminating eight millions of freemen from the homes of their fathers and blotting from the American constitution one-half of the states of the union.

This class of agitators by such resolutions gave every disloyal man in the north license to defy the regularly constituted authorities of the government and defy the laws of the country. It incited men to assassination and others to glory over the work of assassins. The result was that the party was disgraced by this element within it, and thousands upon thousands of law-abiding and loyal men left the party and it went to disgraceful defeat at the polls.

Advising and rejoicing over the defiance of law in 1864 was no worse than rejoicing over and advising the defiance of law is in 1892. Law-abiding and law-loving men in the Democratic party do not endorse the conduct of this element in the Democratic party now, any more than they endorsed their conduct in 1864. When it comes down to advising bloodshed and anarchy to get votes, law-abiding members of a party always rebel.

This organ, which has been caught at the tricks of the demagogue, still insists, nothwithstanding their resolutions to the contrary, that the members of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers would rejoice should Mr Frick die, and then proceeds to assign reasons why his death would be proper. Mr. Frick has been paying better wages than any other concern of the same kind in the world has been paying. He proposes still to pay wages which members of the congressional committee said were the largest they ever heard of. The fight his former employes, or rather the association, is making against him is not one of wages. Mr. Frick is making war on the demands of the association. Mr. O'Donnel himself, says the vital question in the controversy is not one of wages, but the power of the association to dictate a scale. Should Mr. Frick be assassinated for this? The association says, no, and passes resolutions of sympathy for him and hope for his recovery. The fool partisan demagogues, whose assistance has never been solicited by either side to the controversy, say he ought to be killed. Nearly all of the 51 mills covered by the Amalgamated association have refused to sign the scale of wages presented by the association, just as Mr Frick has. Ought the managers of these mills also to be killed? If they were all killed how much would the workmen who get work, because these men have peculiar ability to run these mills, be benefitted by their death? The workmen do not ask for their death. Only the political demagogue and the anarchist advise such measures. If these men deserve death because they exercise their privilege of refusing to submit to what they regard unjust demands by the Amalgamated association, then the contractor in Decatur and other cities in our own state who refuse to be controlled by labor federations are also fit subjects for assassination. The logical sequence of this sort of advice would be an era of murder assassination and anarchy. No friend of labor advise a measures which would lead up to such lawlessness except the anarchist and the partisan demagogue who would secure votes at the expense of "life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness"

Points in Palmerism.

New York *Sun*. We invite all wage-workers, and particularly those who, when Senator Palmer made his extraordinary speech on Homestead in the Federal Senate, felt that they had found a friend whose support would be useful and welcome, to look at the other half of the industrial scheme which this socialist senator proposed. We will put them together, and here is a section.

PALMER'S SCHEME.	THE OTHER SIDE.
These large manufacturing establishments must be understood to be public establishments in a modified sense, and the owners of these properties must hereafter be regarded as holding their property subject to the correlative right of those without whose services the property would be utterly valueless.	These establishments must be regarded as public, and the owners of labor engaged in them, the employes, must be regarded as holding their labor subject to the correlative right of those without whose machinery their labor would be valueless.

Another point in Palmerism will suggest some interesting reflections

PALMER'S SCHEME.	THE OTHER SIDE.
I maintain that these laborers, having spent their lives in this peculiar service, have a right to permanent employment.	These companies, having made machinery for special purposes, have a right to the permanent service of their employes.

No strikes. No leaving work No leaving the country The wretched serfs must stick to their tasks. No hope of change or of other and better business for the slaves of Palmerism.

How do workingmen of this time and place like the scheme? Out with it! Down with the cranky and foolish demagogues who think they can catch the fancy of intelligent Americans with such vicious, such intolerable nonsense!

To the workingmen we say there is only one thing to be done in such a situation, and it must be done emphatically if the good name of labor organization is to be preserved: Down with anarchy at Homestead and everywhere else!

Grover Grovels.

New York *Advertiser* (Dem). The return of William C. Whitney from Gray Gables has set political circles agog. The alert and able manager to date of the Cleveland campaign has the pleasing information to convey, that in the event of Mr. Cleveland's election to the Presidency, Tammany Hall may expect a fair division of the Federal spoils in this locality. This, of course, is on the assumption that Tammany will say a good word for Mr Cleveland during the campaign, and do what it can at the polls to advance his interests and secure his election.

There we have it. And it is time old disgraceful spectacle. Cleveland, the political purist, who publicly holds up his hands in horror at Tammany methods, sends word under a flag of truce that he is ready to come down and divide the spoils, if Tammany will only help put him into a position where the spoils can be obtained.

This must be as amusing to Tammany as it is to the public. Tammany braves have had much bitter experience with Mr. Cleveland's promise. They understand quiet well, too, that Cleveland can not be elected without their aid, and they probably enjoy the craven attitude in which this great man and reformer crawls to them and begs their support on the promise of dividing the spoils when he so bitterly despises (?) the whole spoils system.

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Saturday, August 27th, 1892,

at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the west entrance to the stairway leading to the circuit court room in Decatur, in said county, offer for sale to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand, subject to redemption, according to law, the following described real estate, to-wit: The northeast quarter of the southwest quarter, and the west half of the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter, northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter, all in section 25, township 16 north, range two east of the 3d p. m., containing 70 acres, more or less, situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois.

Dated at Decatur, this 27th day of July, 1892.
JAMES J. FINN, Master in-Chancery.
MILLS BROS & MILLS, Solicitors.
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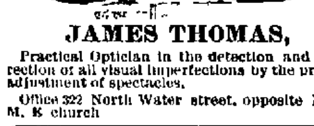

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Eliza Jane Brewster, and against Joseph C. Robinson, I have levied upon the following described property, to wit: The undivided one-fourth (¼) interest in the south half (½) of lot three (3), and all of lot six (6) in S. K. Thompson's first addition to the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon, and state of Illinois, taken as the property of the said Joseph C. Robinson, which I shall offer at public sale at the foot of the west stairway leading to the circuit court room in Macon county, in said state, on the 30th day of July, A. D. 1892, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

Dated this 24th day of June, A. D. 1892
PETER PERL, Sheriff of Macon County, Illinois.
j24-dtd

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution on transcript from the docket of W. L. Hammer, J. P., to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Geo. W. Thompson and against J. Slonaker and M. A. Slonaker, I have levied upon the following described property. Lots fourteen (14) and fifteen (15), in block fourteen (14), in the village of Warrensburg, in Macon county, Illinois, taken as the property of the said M. A. Slonaker, which I shall offer at public sale at the foot of the west stairway leading to the circuit court room in Macon county, in said state, on the 1d day of August, A. D. 1892, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 12th day of July, A. D. 1892.
PETER PERL, Sheriff Macon County, Ill.
By HARRY MIDKIFF, Deputy. j12-dtd

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Frances Bashford, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Frances Bashford, late of the county of Macon, and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the August term, on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 18th day of June 1892.
E PARK, Administrator
j18-d3w

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Joseph Heckel, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Joseph Heckel, late of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the court house in Decatur, at the September term, on the first Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 14th day of July, 1892.
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SEALED BIDS—Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of a sewer, commencing at and connecting with a slant joint opening on the north side of the east branch of Union Street Sewer on King street, at a point opposite the central line of the alley running north and south between North College street and North Edward street, which said sewer is to be constructed from its said beginning point north on the center line of said alley to the south line of West Eldorado street, together with all junctions, entrances, man holes, catch-basins, connections and adjuncts pertaining thereto, according to the plan and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the city council of the said city of Decatur, Illinois, on the 18th day of July, A. D. 1892, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk of said city from the date hereof until five o'clock p. m., of Monday, the 1st day of August, A. D. 1892, for the construction of said local improvement, including all material, and all other matters necessary to make the same. A bond or certified check in the amount of $200 must accompany each bid. All bids will be submitted to the city council and said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids

Dated July 20th, 1892.
jul19 d10t L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk

SEALED BIDS—Public notice is hereby given that the contract for furnishing coal for the use of the public Water Works of Decatur, Illinois, will be let by public contract, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk of said city from the date hereof until 5 o'clock p. m., Monday, the first day of August, A. D. 1892, for both lump and nut coal, for the use of said Water Works, both of which shall be screened and of good merchantable quality, said bids to be per ton, in car lots, furnished free on board cars at the Water Works of said city for the ensuing year in such quantity as required, that the contract will be let to the lowest responsible bidder. All bids will be submitted to the City Council, and said City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated July 20th, A. D. 1892.
july20 d10t L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk

Special Tax Notice.

In the matter of the levy and assessment of special taxes for the construction of a sewer in the alley running east and west between East Eldorado street and East North street, from Jasper street sewer east to Chisholm street.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the city council of the city of Decatur having ordered that a sewer shall be constructed, commencing at and connecting with a slant joint opening on the east side of Jasper street sewer, opposite the central line of the alley running east and west between East Eldorado street and East North street, which said sewer shall be constructed from its said beginning point east on the central line of said alley to the west line of Chisholm street, in the city of Decatur, the ordinance for the same being on file in the office of the city clerk, have applied to the county court of Macon county, Illinois, for the levy and assessment of the cost of said improvement, except the street and alley intersections and crossings, upon the abutting property according to frontage, and an assessment or special tax roll thereof having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had at the October term, 1892, of said court, commencing on the tenth day of October, A. D 1892. All persons desiring may then and there appear and make their defense.

Decatur, Illinois, July 26, 1892
I. P. GRAHAM,
THOMAS L. ANTRIM,
WM DODSON,
jul27-d5t Commissioners

Administrator's Sale.

I will offer for sale at public auction at the west door of the Court House, Decatur, Illinois, on

Saturday, the 20th day of August next,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a m and 5 p m the personal property belonging to the estate of David Garver, deceased, consisting in part of the following articles, to wit

One clock, 1 bath tub, 1 sofa, 2 valises, 1 electric battery, 1 chair commode, 1 box commode, ½ barrel of sugar, with a lot of household and kitchen furniture.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums in excess of five dollars, nine months credit will be given with note with approved security. All sums of five dollars and under cash.

JEROME R. GORIN,
Administrator Estate David Garver, Deceased.
Decatur, Ill., July 18, 1892. d4w

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Application for Pardon.

Notice is hereby given that on or after July 27th, 1892 application will be made to the Governor of Illinois for the pardon or commutation of sentence of Charles Harris, who was convicted at the November term, 1891, of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, of the crime of abduction, and sentenced on the 10th day of November, 1891, to the penitentiary at Joliet for the term of one year JAMES N. SMITH.
july11-d1-w3

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WE never carry goods over from one season to another. We shall clear our house of all Summer Goods during this, our July Clearing Sale, to make room for our Immense Fall Stock, which will commence to arrive in August.

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O. M. ANSTEAD, 211 North Water Street.

In One Lot all 35 and 50c Fine French Gingham go at 17c

100 Pieces White Goods (Novelties), the 15, 20 and 25c kind, go at 9, 12 and 15c.

34 " Outing Flannel the regular 10 and 12½c kind, now at 7½c.

25 " Challies, the regular 12½c goods, now go at 7c.

In One Lot, Wool Challies, the 25c kind, we will close at 14c

25 Pieces Curtain Scrim, the regular 10 and 12½c kind, all at 4½c

500 pairs Nottingham Lace Curtains 75c and $1.00 per pair, being Half Price.

25 pieces Turkey Red Table Damask, colors fast, go at 22c, worth 40 and 50c.

50 " Good Twill Crash Toweling, the 6½c kind, at 2¾c.

All of our 50 and 60c Summer Corsets, EVERY PAIR WARRANTED, at 33c.

70 doz. Ladies' Fast Black Hosiery, the 20 and 25c grades, at 10, 12½ and 15.

50 doz. Ladies' Fast Black Hosiery, fine grade, the regular 40c kind, 24c.

54 doz. Ladies' Fancy Regular Made Hose, the regular 50c kind, Reduced to 25c

24 doz. Ladies' Pure Silk Mitts, Reduced from 40c down to 25c.

32 doz Ladies' Fine Silk Mitts, Reduced from 60 and 65c down to 40c.

19 doz Ladies' Fine Silk Mitts, Reduced from 75 and 85c down to 50c.

100 doz Ladies' Jersey Vests, the regular 15c grade, Reduced to 7c.

55 doz Children's Vests, the regular 10c grade, Reduced to 4c.

100 doz Ladies' Standing Collars, with Capes, the 10c kind at 1c each.

55 doz Ladies' Cuffs to match, the 12½c kind at 1c per pair.

150 doz White Twill Tapes, all widths, sold usually 2 for 5c, 1c per roll.

200 doz papers good Pins, the 5c kind, 1c a paper.

15 Cartons Satin Ribbons, Nos. 5 to 12, all at 5c per yard.

500 yards White Domett Flannels, 32 inches wide, at 4½c, worth 10c.

100 Lancaster Quilts, largest size, regular $1.00 Quilt, now 74c.

At $3.74 and $5.24 we will close out the balance of our WOOL SUIT PATTERNS with Linings, Bones, Buttons and Shields all complete in two lots—$3.74 and $5.24.

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WEDNESDAY EVE., JULY 27, 1892.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

DENZ & SON, tailors.

SUMMER CORSETS—Anthony & Webb.

THE Decatur races will begin August 30th.

LABOR day comes the first Monday in September.

READ O. M. Anstead's Clearing Sale advertisement on this page.

A CARLOAD of stock was shipped to Chicago yesterday by John Ullrich.

OUR Umbrella Sale continues this week. Anthony & Webb.

BUY your family supplies at Hanks & Co.'s handy store at 143 South Water street.

AT Edmund Street Chapel next Sunday the sixth convention for Decatur township will be held.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town mar25-dtf

A LARGE, handsome sign has been placed on the Decatur Lumber and Manufacturing Co.'s mill.

THE best of canned fruits, choice country butter and family groceries generally at Philip Kemper's store, 801 North Water street.

GENTS outing shirts at special bargains. Come and see them at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co. d&w

JUST as soon as the new water pipe is laid, the work of laying the double track on North Main street and East North street between Main and Water street will be commenced.

ONCE on always on—this is the case with Rock Plaster, as it will not come off even when water is poured on it. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

T. B. SHOAFF has decided to remain in Danville. He has bought an interest in the *Daily Press* of that city, and with W. A. Connelly has a controlling interest in the plant.

SATISFACTION is always guaranteed when you use Rock Plaster the best plastering material made. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

GOODMAN'S BAND and a grand chorus of 50 voices will furnish the music at Oakland Park to-morrow night. The chorus will sing many of the old war songs and render plantation melodies.

SUN UMBRELLAS in great variety, Glorias, Windsors, Silks, Serges, and Levantines, nobby styles in handles, all Paragon frames, at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet Co.'s. d&wtf

IT is easy for every purchaser to save money on pianos and organs by calling at C. B. Prescott's music parlor on North Water street. It is no trouble to show those favorite Haines Upright pianos and Packard organs.

THE west side of South Broadway, from Wood street south to Lawrence, is being graded high and dry for new sidewalks. Nearly every lot lying west of the grade will have to be filled up. Listen for complaints. They will come.

DON'T be discouraged about the eczema till you have given Ayer's Sarsaparilla a persistent trial. Six bottles of this medicine cured the complaint for Geo. S. Thomas, of Ada, Ohio, when all other remedies failed to afford any relief.

LADIES' Jersey Combination Underwear, to close, at 65c a suit, at dtf ANTHONY & WEBB'S.

SPECIAL arrangements are made to serve the business men their dinner at 12 sharp, at the Barbecue to-morrow. Get on the street car or come out in your carriage, and enjoy an old-time Barbecue dinner.

THE Degree Staff of Decatur Lodge No 65, gave a reception and musicale at the hall of Celestial Lodge No. 186 last night to all Odd Fellows and their ladies. There was a large gathering of friends and everybody had a good time. The ladies presented five beautiful tableaux, which evoked enthusiastic applause. There was music by the Opera House orchestra for the promenaders and dancers and in the banquet hall refreshments were served.

HAMMOCKS.

Hammocks, Hammocks and Hammocks.

We have taken possession of our new store on East Prairie street and are now prepared to furnish the public with everything in the sporting goods line. We have an immense assortment of hammocks which we are selling at remarkably low figures. We also have a full line of hammock supplies. Call and see our assortment of hammocks before purchasing elsewhere. H. MUELLER, Gun Co. tf 134 East Prairie street.

YOUR CHOICE FOR 25 CENTS.

6 Teaspoons,
3 Tablespoons,
3 Desert spoons,
3 Forks,
1 Pickle fork,
1 Napkin ring,
1 Salt and Pepper,
1 Salt cup and Spoon,
1 Individual butter dish,
1 Sugar spoon,
1 Butter knife,
1 Fancy, shoe match safe,
1 Paper weight,
1 Pin tray,
1 Button hook,
1 Child's Knife, Fork and Spoon.

The above goods are all silver-plated on white metal. It is the greatest bargain in silverware ever offered in Decatur. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

Bissel's Carpet Sweeper.

The most improved and perfect finished sweeper in the country at lowest prices, at Linn & Scruggs Dry Goods & Carpet

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TAKEN TO CHICAGO.

Funeral of William Andrews, the Union Brickmason—The Band Out.

The funeral of the late William Andrews, the brickmason killed by the heat Monday afternoon, was held last evening in the chapel at the J. A. Reeve undertaking establishment, the arrangements for the services having been made by the local committee, Fred Anderson, Frank Truitt and Frank Parkison. A brother of the deceased, George Andrews, himself a brickmason, arrived from Chicago last evening, and he at once announced his purpose of taking the body of his brother home with him. Rev. J. A. F. King, of the U. B. church, conducted the funeral and delivered a touching sermon on the uncertainty of life. The bricklayers union and kindred organizations formed a long procession as an escort for the body to the depot, Goodman's Band playing a funeral dirge from the square to the station. Hundreds of people gathered on the square to witness the unusual sight of a funeral at night. The body was in a $100 casket, and was taken to Chicago on the 12:45 a. m. Wabash train, accompanied by George Andrews and Fred Anderson of Decatur. The funeral took place from 383 West North avenue this afternoon, and the body was removed thence to Rose Hill cemetery for interment.

The deceased was 34 years of age and was single. He was an Odd Fellow, a member of the Royal Arcanum, the Workman society, and the Chicago Bricklayers' Union. His life was insured for $3500. His brother, George, had kept up the assessments. Deceased has one other brother and a sister in Chicago, a sister at Seattle, Wash., and a sister in California. Six weeks ago he left Chicago, saying he was going to make another trip to California, and that was the last heard of him until news of his death came from Decatur in a telegram. Mr. Andrews was deeply affected by the general sympathy of Decatur people and the marks of respect shown in memory of his brother. On leaving he remarked to the REPUBLICAN reporter and friends that he hoped in some way to express his gratitude for kindness shown his brother, a comparative stranger in a strange city.

IRISH-AMERICANS RESPOND.

They Will Be Present in Numbers at the State League Meeting.

Hon. Edmund O'Connell of Bloomington states that he was receiving numerous responses from the Irish-Americans of the state in regard to the circular sent out by him last week urging the Irish-Americans to send delegates to the meeting of the Republican league clubs to be held at Springfield, August 18. These responses show a creditable spirit and one indicative of hearty co-operation. The circular stated that members of Irish-American Republican clubs are eligible to membership in the state league. There will probably be a good representation of the Irish-Americans at Springfield.

On to Washington.

The committee having in charge the arrangements for the entertainment at Washington of such veterans of the G. A. R. as do not for themselves arrange for these matters estimate that there will be 60,000 of this class of visitors to entertain at the national encampment and that not less than $150,000 will be necessary to carry their plans into execution. All the public school buildings will be used and in addition the committee will lease any large buildings when favorable terms can be made, but the large proportion of the free quarters will have to be in buildings especially erected by the committee. On the grounds of the Washington monument temporary buildings will be erected. These structures will be 64 feet wide and 500 feet long, and will each have sleeping accommodations for 3,600 men. It is proposed to have twelve of these buildings, which will afford accommodation for over 43,200. In the immediate vicinity of these quarters arrangements will be made for the erection of large dining halls, where meals can be served at stipulated figures.

The Minstrels.

About sixteen years ago Messrs. Richards & Pringle took hold of the only colored minstrels then traveling. They gave it the name of "Georgias," and ever since this organization has been before the public. There is not much personal boast about the managers, but one thing the public has learned, and it is this: No matter what a person's idea is regarding the negro, they can go and see the "Georgias" and not be offended or insulted, and at the same time witness the best and only legitimate colored minstrel show on the road. Billy Kersands, James Crosby, the great Gauze, Billy Reynolds, Cheuthem Bros., W. O. Terry, and the Alabama quartette, and a full company of colored artists make up the show. They appear in this city on Wednesday evening, August 3.

Club Shoots.

The West End gun club held their regular shoot last evening at the lime kiln. The following scores were made out of a possible 20 blue rock pigeons: J. B. Dinges 17, D. Bradley 14, W. C. Fearn 12, Geo. Meyer 9, I. D. Walker 8.

The Wabash gun club had a practice shoot last evening beginning at 5 o'clock. They used United States targets. Following is the score out of a possible 25: W. F. Carter 13, Wm. Kitchen 8, W. A. Boettger 8, Robert Humble 20, R. C. Hinds 6, W. R. McMasters 16, F. M. Hall 10.

Will Celebrate To-Morrow.

Everything is ready for the Emancipation celebration at Oakland Park to-morrow. The grand parade will form at the court house at 11 a. m., march through the principal streets to the park. The Barbecue dinner will be served at 12 m., and supper from 5:30 to 7:30 p. m. Wm. Holland, with a crew of waiters, will serve the dinner and supper. No admission fee will be charged during the morning or afternoon. At night Goodman's Band and a chorus of 50 voices will furnish the musical part of the program, and an admission fee of 10 cents will be collected at the gate.

Guaranteed.

Every piece of this silverware is guaranteed full silver-plated on white metal, and if in any instance you find it is not as we represent it, you can return the goods and get your money.

DOUT A LUNATIC.

Sheriff Perl and His Lively Experience with the German.

Sensational Attempts to Jump From a Train—Set the Jail on Fire.

Sheriff Perl got back from Rome, New York, at 9 o'clock last night, by way of Chicago, having in custody the German gardener, Jacob Dout, who went daft at Rome while on his way to New York City to board a steamer for a trip to Germany.

When the Sheriff arrived at Rome he learned that Dout when arrested there was wildly demented; that he imagined robbers were after him, and that a Lutheran preacher had induced him to deposit his money $200. He was put in a police station from which he managed to escape in the middle of the night, the same evening that a telegram was received from Decatur that an officer would come for him. Officers scoured the city for Dout and found him not far from the station seated on a side-walk, taking it easy.

Sheriff Perl reached Chicago yesterday forenoon with Dout who had behaved himself reasonably well. They started for home on the 2:30 Wabash cannon ball. On the way down to Forest Dout made no bad breaks, but this side of Forest the lunatic made a desperate attempt to escape. Dout had a seat all to himself with an open window at his elbow. Perl was in the next seat behind. Suddenly Dout arose and made a plunge headfirst through the open window. Perl happened to be looking at Dout at the time, and he made a grab at the retreating form, just in time to catch Dout by one leg. He called lustily for help, and E. J. Strader and others came to the rescue. Strader nailed a kicking leg and both men held on until the train was stopped. Then it was discovered that Dout had got so far out of the window with the train going at 40 miles an hour, that he had caught hold of a truss rod under the coach, and this hanging head down he had ridden fully a mile. Perl got off and put Dout on his feet. Placing him on the platform of the coach Dout made another attempt to get away by jumping off on the opposite side. He was caught and forced in the coach. Dout implored Perl and Strader to shoot him. Dout's actions caused general excitement among the passengers, which was kept up all the way down the road. Dout behaved himself, however, except that he did considerable talking. Arriving at Decatur he was taken to the county jail in a carriage, and ushered into the parlor. Dout became more nervous after he got into the house but after a time he was lodged in one of the upper cells, the sheriff turning down the gas in the room, supposing that in a short time Dout would go to sleep.

SET THE JAIL ON FIRE.

But the sheriff erred in his conclusions. Dout was still excited. The subdued light and stillness did not quiet him. While Perl was below taking a bath the cry of fire was heard, and on quick investigation it was discovered that Dout had set fire to the bedding in his room, and had also torn up the wash-stand and had committed other damage. The sheriff, Mrs. Perl, Johnny Perl and others rushed to the cell, and in the meantime the fire department arrived, putting out the fire. The sheriff had to resort to strategy to overpower Dout, who was manacled and put in a cell in the jail. The damage to the jail is slight.

Dout will be adjudged insane and sent to the Kankakee asylum.

State News.

A Quincy woman recently broke her child's arm by lifting it up by that member.

And still another pottery is to be established in Macomb. It will have a paid up capital of $35,000.

Corn in the vicinity of Quincy is reported to be growing so fast that fears are entertained that it will pull itself up by the roots.

A Carthage woman recently went to church with a new hat on to which the following embarrassing little tag was attached: "Reduced to $1.75."

The first Protestant church bell that called people to worship in Illinois was on exhibition at Vandalia a few days ago. The bell was hung in the primitive Vandalia church in 1830.

The Inman Restaurant.

John Inman has returned to his old location and business, having succeeded Charles Griffith, as proprietor of the popular Inman restaurant at 136 South Main street. Mr. Inman is now in possession and will be pleased to serve all old and new friends, both in the city and the country. There are 29 sleeping rooms connected with the restaurant. The usual meals will be served and every patron will receive prompt and courteous attention. jul26-d&w4w

Visited Decatur.

Hon. I. N. Pearson, Republican nominee for secretary of state, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon from Moultrie county and paid the REPUBLICAN a pleasant call. Secretary Pearson, who is at present engaged in making a close personal canvass of the state, met many old and new friends in Decatur. He left for Springfield on the nine o'clock train.

Married.

Mrs. M. Lanham and Calvin Mitchell were united in marriage last evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Potts, No. 1205 North Water street, Rev. James Miller, of the First M. E. church officiating.

WILL BET CORBETT WINS.

Duncan B. Harrison Says John L. Has Gone to Pieces—"A Sure Thing."

Duncan B. Harrison, ex-acting partner of John L. Sullivan, has some decided opinions regarding the probable result of the big battle in New Orleans. Harrison ran across Burt Haverly, the actor, and put him "onto" what he said was a real good thing.

"Sullivan has gone all to pieces," said Harrison, and Corbett will punch holes through him in two rounds. It's the best thing I ever saw, this is, and I have $3,000 which I'll bet on Corbett right now at even money if I can't get odds. Yes, and I'll dig up $5,000 to bet on him before the fight comes off. Sullivan is a wreck and he can never get into condition again."

"But I hear he is in splendid shape now," suggested Haverly.

"Don't you believe everything you hear," responded the earnest actor. "I tell you Sullivan will get licked in two punches."

"Does that go if John hears it?"

"Yes, a thousand times yes," Harrison exclaimed, dramatically, "and I only wish he was here now so I could tell him with my own lips of the fate which awaits him."

A day or two ago Sullivan was subjected to a series of measurements and this was the result: Chest, 46, chest extended 49, waist 40, stomach 44, hips 44, thigh 24, calf 15, neck 18, arm natural 14, with muscle extended 16, forearm 13¼, wrist 8. He now weighs 220 pounds, just three pounds heavier than when he fought Jake Kilrain.

Sullivan says that the coming battle will be the greatest business transaction of his life, and for that matter he is more anxious to bring it to a successful termination. Aside from the $45,000 in cash depending upon the result he expects his book to bring in a large revenue, also the new play which he intends to produce for the first time next September.

DRIVE ON THE MILE TRACK.

The Decatur Race Meeting to be the Best in the Circuit.

The new mile track at the park of the Decatur association will be completed this evening, when the gates will be thrown open for the accommodation of citizens with slow or speedy horses who may desire to drive out and get on the track. The track is built in regulation shape, and to view it is well worth a visit. The association officers extend a cordial invitation to everybody to come out and get on the track. The big amphitheatre has been moved back into its new position commanding an excellent view of the entire track, and in a few days everything will be in proper trim for the races which will open Tuesday, August 30th, and continue four days. The entries to date include some of the speediest horses in the country.

DESERVES A MEDAL.

A Champion Liar Found in Carlyle, this State.

The last contestant for the belt of the champion liar is a chicken fancier of Carlyle, Ill. He relates he was troubled by the propensity of his brood to scratch up his garden, so he went to work to solve the problem of prevention. After elaborate experiment he succeeded in crossing a breed of long-legged Brahmas with short-legged Brahmas in such a way as that each chicken had one long leg and one short leg. When they attempted to scratch they lost their balance and fell over, which, after a few trials, was sufficient to show that scratching was impossible and they gave it up.

HE DID NOT WEAR THE BLUE.

BY G. W. ROBINSON.

Have you heard the news by soldier boys,
Of the great campaign of '92?
That Cleveland and his side-partner will
Defeat the great party, then what'll we do?
The strife is coming slowly, but surely, my boys.
Never look to the right nor left, but go on,
And say we'll fight for the right of the land,
As we did years ago, in 1861.
Now Harrison and Reid are great generals, you know,
They will lead you and guide you, tho' storms be grea',
And in 1893, on the fourth day of March,
They will surely take charge of the great ship of state.
But there comes Grover, who thinks he is so strong
As to control this great nation so true.
He will never receive the people's vote—
"No, never." He did not wear the blue.

Removal Sale.

The Abel Carpet & Wall Paper Co. is in its new store on North Water street, just north of Race's Clothing Co. Moving hurriedly to give Hatch Bros. possession we did not reduce stock as we had intended, therefore we will in the new building for ten days sell remnants regardless of cost and everything less than value. This is the last call. d&wtf

Letter List.

The following is a list of letters remaining uncalled for at the Decatur Postoffice July 27, 1892:

Anderson, Nellie	Jackson, Martha
Adams, E P	Johnson, Olevia
Ape, Katie	Nixon, Alvin
Biggs, Wm T	Pickens, J M
Dike, John T	Robles, David
Eastman, J	Shaffer, Chas A
Everle, Hattie	Sandon, Geo W
Flynn, Johana	Wells, Rachel A
Hanison, W H	Wilderman, Theo C
Haley, L	Watts, Ella
Aamrick, James	Williams, Adam
Jones, Mattie	Warnick, Emma

J. T. HUBBARD, P. M.

That Goat

Oxford for ladies, in tan or red, doubly reduced to close out; Pengree & Smith's make, worth $2 and $2.25, sacrificed at $1.25 a pair. Cost, profits, actual value, all ignored in our great season ending sale of summer footwear. A genuine French Kid Button Boot for ladies at $1.50 a pair, at Powers' Shoe Store. July 27-d&wtf

If you Doubt

Our ability to sell you $1.00's worth of Silverware for 25c, a call at our store will convince you that this is no humbug.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

CONKLIN & HOUSUM,

Wall Paper and Room Mouldings

COMPETENT

✻Paper Hangers and Frescoers.✻

CHAS. T. JOHNSTON,

151 North Water Street.

We are not going to carry any Summer Goods if the prices on them will make it any inducement to you to buy them.

✻GRAND LOT OF REMNANTS●

In White Goods, Lawns, Embroidered Ginghams, Pongees, Etc.

One lot of SILKS at 25c, were 40 and 50c.

One lot of FIGURED CHINA SILKS at 45c—we sold them for 65, 75 and 85c.

BLACK LAWNS, barred and striped, at 12½ and 15c, were 15, 20 and 25c. There is a new lot just come in but will be put in with these.

Fifteen pieces WHITE SWISS FLOUNCINGS, 4½ yards to the piece, were sold at 58c, 65c and 75c, now 48c per yard.

LADIES' WAISTS, in Silk, Lace, Black and Blue Sateen, Percale, etc., at Reduced Prices.

"LINDA" FAST BLACK HOSE, 35c a pair, or three pairs for $1.00. This hose is extra long, ribbed top, double heel and toe, fine guage and fully worth 50c a pair.

See our TABLE LINENS before buying. Although these goods are staple we have made some special low prices during this sale.

FANCY CHANGEABLE SILK PARASOLS, regular price, $3.75—now $2.75.

Great Reductions in GAUZE, FEATHER and JAPANESE FANS. Very cheap and a useful article just now.

Chas. T. Johnston.

151 North Water Street.

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TELEPHONE 341.

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REFRIGERATOR We have the coolest and dryest made. The ventilation is perfect. Don't fail to see them.

Gasoline Stove The Reliable Process large stove is the best make on the market. We also have small Reliable stoves, one two and three burners; all guaranteed.

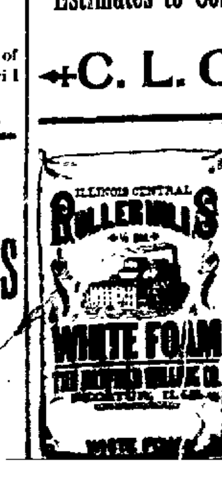
GAS STOVE No Gas stove or Range is as well made and as simple as the Reliable. Recommended by all who use them.

Lawn Mower The Pennsylvania, the standard of Lawn Mowers, is the only one that will give satisfaction.

Builders' Hardware If you are building don't fail to see the fine Bronze Goods we are carrying.

Estimates to Contractors. Our Prices Always the Lowest.

C. L. GRISWOLD & CO.



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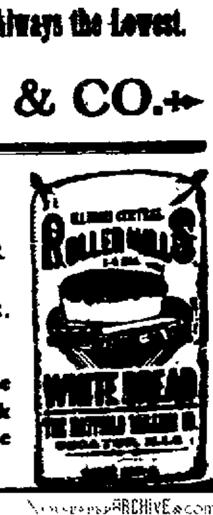

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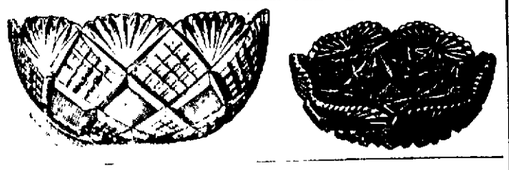

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Second Floor, China Department.

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Summer Night's Dream

Is fully realized in the purchase of some of the Cool Garments we have to offer for the Midsummer Sultry Days at CLOSING OUT PRICES.

Light-Weight Coats and Vests,
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EVERYTHING OFFERED AT PRICES TO MAKE YOUR PURSE STRINGS LOOSEN.

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DON'T LOSE SIGHT

—OF THIS—

Bargain Sale.

--MEN'S WORK SHOES--

At 85c a Pair, this Week.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED ANOTHER BIG LOT OF CHILDREN'S RED OXFORDS.

WALTER HUTCHIN

117 North Water St.

DAILY REPUBLICAN

ICE CREAM SODA.

Our Fountain is now Open, and we are dispensing the Finest ICE CREAM SODA in the City.

KING & WOOD.

WEDNESDAY EVE., JULY 27, 1892.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce J. M. Bowers as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce Jesse E. Rendurn as a candidate for Coroner of Macon county, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce Edmiston McClellan as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

George R. Seeble is hereby announced as a candidate for Circuit Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Dr. Albert E. Collins as a candidate for Coroner, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

The Alaska Refrigerator is so constructed that no *filth* can accumulate. It is *always sweet* and clean and requires no attention. Put in the ice, it does the rest. For sale only by E. D. Bartholomew.

Dress & Son, tailors.

Teeth, $8—Hoskins & Moore, dentists

Smoke the old reliable K. & W. cigars mar26dtf

The Grand Army Post will meet to-night at the hall.

George G. Huffert has secured a patent for an attachment for latches.

Silk Belts, Mits, Laces, Fans, to close, at Anthony & Webb's. dtf

The new location of May & Churchman, grocers, is in the Syndicate Block. dtf

Men's Sash Vests—Anthony & Webb's.

Iron Vases for lawns and cemetery lots. W. H. Grindel & Son, sole agents. apr14-dtf

Telephone for family groceries to May & Churchman in the Syndicate Block Prompt delivery. 5dtf

A fine line of fruits and vegetables every day at May & Churchman's grocery store in Syndicate Block. 5dtf

Negligee ½ Laundried Shirts, only $1.00, at Anthony & Webb's. dtf

All good judges never fail to call for the popular Little Rose and Bouquet cigars, made by Michl.

For a good hard wall and one that will have less cracks than any other use Rock Plaster. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

Boys Bicycle Hose 18, 25 and 30 cents at Anthony & Webb's. dtf.

The great Emancipation celebration will be held at Oakland Park to-morrow. Barbecue dinner and supper.

Time saved is money—you can save much time by using Rock Plaster on your building. Manufactured by Decatur Rock Plaster Co. 2-dtf

Geo. W. Davidson has opened a new piano, organ and sewing machine store at 221 North Main street, where he would be glad to have his friends call. The room has been refitted and refurnished.

In Chicago yesterday there were 11 deaths from sunstroke and 31 prostrations. Several of the victims were found dead in beds and in alleys.

Lost—A very small brown dog, with large ears and thin short hair; a great pet. Will give reward for its return to 357 West Cerro Gordo street.

d1 Rev. E. B. Cake.

A. D. Holland has on sale the largest stock of Key West, domestic and imported cigars in the city. Also a full line of smokers' articles. Give Holland a call at his new store, adjoining the St. Nicholas hotel. jul21-d1w

Step into the Syndicate block and see May & Churchman, the grocers, in their new location. They have one of the neatest stores in the city. apr6-dtf

The Logan county Republican convention has been called to meet at Lincoln on Tuesday, August 30th. Hon. B. F. Funk was present at the committee meeting held yesterday.

W. I. Wikoff was badly bitten yesterday by a dog, while he was trying to stop a dog fight. He was bitten on the right hand and the wound may yet prove quite serious. Dr. Rukenbrod is the attending physician.

The evils resulting from habitual costiveness are many and serious; but the use of harsh, drastic purgatives is quite as dangerous. In Ayer's Pills, however, the patient has a mild but effective aperient, superior to all others, especially for family use.

The Wabash R. R. announce another of their popular cheap excursions for Sunday, Aug. 21. This time they will reverse the trip, going by rail to Quincy and by the steamer Josephine to Hannibal and Hannibal Cave. The rate will be the same, $2 for the round trip.

The most interesting person present at the meeting of Black Hawk war survivors at Freeport, Ill., was Mrs. William Lewhorn, of Lena, Ill. She was in the fort at Apple River at the time of Black Hawk's murderous attack, and dealt out power and shot to the defending soldiers

Last evening on the south side of Central Park a court house stone mason got into an altercation with James Taylor, a brick mason, and there was a lively fight which attracted a large crowd which included the park custodian, George Nicholls, and Eli Brenneman, who separated the men. In the scuffle the assailant, who was the stone mason, made good his escape, and it is stated that he left for Springfield on the first train.

Last evening the Salvation Army musicians, vocalists and exhorters made an attack on the crowd of city loungers and traveling men at the St. Nicholas hotel corner. The singing was of a superior character and was heard with evident pleasure by all. The donation of nickels, dimes, quarters and halves was generous, and as the christian soldiers departed everybody had a kind word for them and their work. There were exceptionally fine tenor voices in the band.

HOT AS EVER.

A Slight Breeze, but the Mercury is Still Above the Nineties.

The intense heat still prevails. At the Republican office at 7:30 a. m. the thermometer registered 85; at 12 o'clock it was up to 90, and at 2 p. m. it was 92, the same as yesterday. A slight breeze made sleep possible last night, and gave hope of lower temperature to-day, but the change was so slight that it was scarcely noticeable.

The Chicago papers, which are in close touch with the signal service gents, state that there is no probability of cooler weather before to-morrow, and the weather bureau prophet says that with the temperature as high to-day as it was yesterday there will be more suffering, more sunstrokes and more blinded horses tipping over in the streets of Chicago.

The reason is that every day of a hot seige further exhausts the vitality of the weak human. The man who bears up for three days may drop dead in the fourth. Every hour of the oppressive season weakens each individual and makes him more susceptible to sunstroke or prostration. This is the day of all others to hover near the rotary fan and keep a wet cabbage leaf under the lid of of your hat.

The mercury went as high yesterday as it did the day before, but it did not remain as long at the top notch. As on Monday, the maximum temperature was 94, but the southerly winds lessened their speeds to fifteen miles an hour and afforded no relief except to people who could hunt up a draught and sit in it so as to catch each fitful gust.

The present misfortune is not a hot wave. It is a condition. The weather reports show that the entire country, excepting a narrow rim along the north and another rim along the south, was baked in the same oven. Here are the maximums: St. Paul, 86; Milwaukee, 92; New York, 96; Pittsburg, 96; Indianapolis, 96; Kansas City, 94; St. Louis, 94; Omaha, 96; Louisville, 94. St. Paul and Indianapolis each had local thunderstorms, being a temporary relief.

Then look at the other extremes—New Orleans, 78; Duluth, 70. It is the latter that suggests a grain of hope. Up in the northwest there is a high barometer and falling temperature and the cool wave is likely to spread this far by to-morrow. It is not a promise by the weather bureau, but rather a fervent prayer.

UGLY THREATS.

Mrs. Jacob Dout Visits Her Crazy Husband at the Jail.

This forenoon Mrs. Jacob Dout came in from the home place northwest of the city and called at the county jail to have a chat with her crazy husband, whom Sheriff Perl brought back from Rome, New York, last night. The lady did not venture inside the cell. The talk was in jail. It was not of a mild character. Jake, while not so demonstrative as last night when he attempted to burn the jail, as related in another column in this issue, was somewhat emphatic in his language, further convincing his long-suffering wife and the sheriff that the man is badly off his mental balance.

Mrs. Dout stated that her life had been in danger for a number of years; that frequently Dout had come home from the city late at night more or less intoxicated, and had often made threats that he would cut the throats of the whole family. He had even made preparations to carry his threats into execution, but by persuasion or resistance had been prevented from becoming a murderer. The family troubles were always kept quiet, and but few people heard of them. Mrs. Dout has not yet decided what shall be done with her husband. She is afraid him. As yet there has been no demand in the county court for an inquisition.

Vaccinating the People.

The efforts of the Illinois State Board of Health to secure the vaccinal protection of the commonwealth in view of the indications of an invasion of smallpox are meeting with popular approval. Dr. Dewey of the Kankakee Insane asylum, yesterday applied for vaccine sufficient to vaccinate all the inmates and officials of that institution. Surgeon Shaw of the 3d Regiment, now in camp at Camp Lincoln, also made a requisition for material enough to vaccinate his command. A majority of the railroad companies have also taken steps to force vaccination among their employes. The board desires it to be known that all state institutions may obtain approved vaccine from the board free of cost, and that municipalities may obtain the necessary supplies for the vaccination of the inmates of jails, almshouses and similar institutions, as well as of tramps and paupers. Any physican who will undertake to vaccinate the poor and dependent will also be supplied with vaccine free of cost.

Sales of Real Estate.

G. F. Drobisch to Sophie M. Drobisch, deed to lot 7, block 1, Brueck's addition —$1500.

Sophie M. Drobisch to G. F. Drobisch, deed to lot 3, block 1, F. D. Caldwell's resurvey of part of Brueck's second addition—$3000.

C. Ammann to David Shook, deed to lot in 23, 16, 2 east—$106.

C. T. Bachman to Rebecca Richardson, deed to lot 20 in Wood's South Park addition—$225.

C. T. Bachman to Ida Seehrest, deed to lot 19 in Wood's South Park addition —$225.

Sherman H. Neiman to Josiah Allen, deed to lot in Ritchie's addition to Warrensburg—$250.

Heston I. Baldwin to Gottlieb Rosteck, deed to lot 5, block 9, Carver's addition —$450.

James T. Roberts to Lewis E. Eyman, deed to lot 31 and west half of lot 30, block 1, Durfee & Warren's first addition —$10,000.

Funeral of George White.

The funeral of the late George White occurred this morning at 6 o'clock from the Christian church. Rev. E. B. Cake, the pastor officiating. The pall bearers were Messrs. T. W. Cann, George R. Bacon, A. F. Ross, F. P. Roddy, J. W. Mackey and Morgan. Interment in Greenwood cemetery

Will Picnic.

The members of the German Methodist Sunday school will picnic to-morrow at the fair grounds. It will be a basket picnic and they will leave the church at 8:30 in hacks.

The Library.

The Public library will be closed to-morrow afternoon from 1 to 7 o'clock during the funeral of the late Mrs. Sarah Tyler.

REPUBLICAN CLUBS.

Meetings Held Last Night—Delegates Elected.

At the Monitor Band hall last night the called meeting of the members of the Abraham Lincoln club, a large number of members attended. The club membership is over one hundred. The business of the club was to elect delegates to the Republican State League meeting, and Louis Stewart, William Prior, Thomas Miller, Ed Thompson and Rev. J. S. Woods, were chosen to go to Springfield in August.

Executive committee meeting.

President Midkiff presided last night at the called meeting of the executive committee of the Republican campaign club held at the office of Mills Bros. and Mills. Every member was present, and important business was transacted, which will be reported to the club meeting Tuesday evening, August 2d. It has been decided to name the organization the Young Men's Republican Club of Decatur, with age limit fixed, and that there be formed a Young Men's Escort club to be uniformed and equipped for dress parade work during the campaign. Each organization will have separate officers, and everybody who can do so will be expected to get in line with the Escort club, which will go on journeys, and keep up the enviable reputation the former clubs have enjoyed in former campaigns. Possibly the club will run a cheap excursion train to Springfield on August 18th to make a hit at the Republican state league convention.

Funeral of Mrs. Sarah Tyler.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Sarah Tyler, widow of the late Rev. J. W. Tyler, will take place from the Christian church Thursday evening, July 28, at 5 o'clock, Rev. E. B. Cake officiating, assisted by Dr. Keller of Sullivan.

Friends desiring to take a parting look at the deceased may do so by calling between 3 and 4:30 to-morrow afternoon at 430 West Main street. The casket will not be opened at the church.

PERSONAL MENTION

A. H. Baker is on the sick list.

J. M. Clokey is in Carbondale on business.

John A. Barnes is in Tuscola on business.

W. H. Thain is in Monticello on business.

Frank Myers is in Champaign on business.

Dr. W. M. Catto visited Elwin last evening.

Miss Anna Moyer is visiting relatives in Maroa.

Ira Kemper is visiting relatives at Bearsdale.

Attorney J. C. Hostetler is in Chicago on business.

Dr. L. P. Walbridge has returned from St. Louis.

Mrs. H. A. Briggs is in Blue Mound visiting relatives.

Miss Millie Thomas has returned to her home in Maroa.

Miss Madge Hays is in Peoria visiting her brother, Harry.

Miss Clara Ebert, after a brief spell of sickness, is convalescent.

Col. Bill Shaw, of the C., B. & Q. is a guest at the Central House.

Edward Harpstrite is recovering from a severe attack of sickness.

Miss Grace Baldwin, who has been on the sick list, is convalescent.

State's Attorney I. R. Mills is in Putnam county visiting relatives.

Mrs. S. W. Whitehurst is very sick at her home on North Main street.

Mrs. Frank Nicholls left this morning for a visit with relatives in Pana.

O. L. Griswold will leave to-night for an extended trip through the east.

Charles Bryan and Will Ermantrout will leave to-night for Niagara Falls and the east.

Mrs. Mattie Piper and children, of St. Louis, are visiting W. W. Boudder east of the city.

Charles Richardson has returned from from a three weeks' visit with relatives in Springfield.

Mrs. Anna Hamsher and Mrs. Josephine Ringland, left to-day for Chicago to visit relatives.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. D. Hughes, of Union and Pugh streets, on Tuesday, July 26, a daughter.

Rev. J. Z. Tyler, of Cleveland, arrived in the city last evening to attend the funeral of his mother.

Miss Bertha Clark, of Sidney, Ill., and Miss Pearl Skinner, of Cerro Gordo, are in the city visiting Mrs. C. T Warfield.

Miss Emma Millspaugh is seriously ill at her home on South Franklin street. Her condition to-day excites alarm.

Miss Belle Steele returned this morning from Green's Swith, where she has been visiting Jack Renshaw and family.

Mrs. W. W. Beatty and daughter, Miss Tessa, of Mansfield, arrived in the city to-day to visit Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith.

Miss Essie Harrington, who has been in the city visiting Miss Margaret Murphey, left last night for her home in Edinburg.

Fred Anderson left last night with George Andrews, who took the remains of William Andrews to Rose Hill, Chicago, for burial.

Miss Martha Leidich, aged 20 years, a young lady who had visited the Misses Shellabarger, this city, in past years, died in Chicago on Sunday.

Miss Mary French, a teacher in the Decatur High School, left last night for Chicago and Charlevoix, Mich., to spend the remainder of the summer.

Clint. Gaddis, who has typhoid fever, experienced a slight relapse yesterday from sitting up to long. He is not considered in a dangerous condition.

Misses Sadie and Mabel Wilson left to-day for Hamilton, N. Y., where they will visit their brother, Charles Wilson, who is attending school in that city.

H. J. Rhein, of the C., H. & D., J. A. Hollonbeck, of the I., D. & W., and U. G. Lemon, of the Northern Pacific, all traveling passenger agents, are in the city to-day.

Miss Elizabeth Knieper will leave within a few days for Chicago, where she will visit relatives for three weeks. While she is absent Miss Ebert will occupy her place in the choir at the First Methodist church.

B. S. Tyler received telegrams this morning from his brother, Rev. B. B. Tyler of New York City, and Mrs. S. D. Cook of Denver, Colo., stating that they would be unable to attend the funeral services of their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bachman and child will leave to-morrow for Colorado and California on a pleasure trip. Mr. Bachman will return after a short stay, but Mrs. Bachman and child will remain a year or longer with relatives in California for the benefit of her health.

Misses Margaret and Anna Roberts departed this morning for Mattoon and Charleston, where they will visit relatives. A farewell party was given last evening at their home on West Main street and the evening was pleasantly passed with games and refreshments.

Remember

That you can buy this line of Silverware at one-fourth of what it is worth. This is your chance.

E. D. Bartholomew.

SITUATION AT HOMESTEAD.

No Hope for Settlement if the Contrary Strikers Can Rule.

Homestead, Pa., July 27.—It appears quite likely to-night that Hugh O'Donnell will resign the chairmanship of the advisory committee because of a disagreement, the committee refusing to approve of the almost unconditional surrender of the fight on hand. O'Donnell had expressed himself anxious for a settlement even if it had to be sacrificed. He authorized two newspaper men to see Superintendent Potter and ascertain upon what terms the old men could return to work. When their commission was executed, the committee refused to admit them, and this rebuff will undoubtedly cause O'Donnell's resignation. Superintendent Potter told the mediators there was no vindictiveness in the company's dealings with the men, but they would not take back certain of the strife makers. The men would not be questioned about membership in any organization, but would be required to sign an agreement as individuals fixing a scale based on $23 billets. The mediators were assured that the places of the old men were being rapidly filled and Superintendent Potter expressed regret when he heard of the failure of O'Donnell with the committee.

H. C. FRICK DOING WELL.

Pittsburg, July 27.—Frick slept well last night and woke refreshed and cheerful this morning. There are no dangerous symptoms and it is believed all danger is past.

Secretary Lovejoy said this morning that a cable had been received from Carnegie, asking if his presence was needed. The answer was sent that it was not, and he will not come till sent for. Lovejoy added that nearly 600 men were at work in the Homestead mills, turning out first-class work. More workmen will be sent there to-day.

THE NEIGHBORING TOWNS.

LAKE CITY.

Grandpa Logan and Sallie Byrum visited friends in Mt. Zion Thursday.

Miss Cloris Dawson, of Lovington was here to-day instructing a class in music.

Will Vigles did business in Lovington Thursday.

Mrs. S Sinclair and daughter, Mrs. J. Brubard, visited George Lovejoy and family, of Williamsburg, Friday.

Aunt Lizzie Anderson is having her house repaired.

Henry Sinclair and Alanson Springer were Bethany visitors Thursday.

'Squire Winnings made a flying visit to Decatur Friday.

T. T. Springer and wife were Decatur visitors Thursday

There will be a Union Basket meeting at Kearney's Grove, 2½ miles east of this place on Sunday, July 31, under the auspices of the Christian church of La Place

Mrs. Joseph Dickson and Mrs. D. Davidson and daughter visited friends in Long Creek Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Winnings were called away Wednesday to attend the funeral of their granddaughter, Little Belle Winnings, who died at her home in Decatur Tuesday evening, July 21. The remains were interred in the Long Creek cemetery on Wednesday.

Mrs. James Miers was shopping in Lovington Friday.

Mr. T. T. Springer and wife, accompanied by D. Fisher and wife, visited John Dixon and and family near Lovington Sunday.

Mrs. Lizzie Winnings, of Lovington, was the guest of Mrs. Lottie Twadell over Sunday.

Fossie McMullin gave a party to the young folks of Lake City Saturday night, July 23. They all report a pleasant time.

Miss Lizzie Todd, of Riverton, who has been visiting relatives here the past month, returned to her home Wednesday.

C. N. Twadell visited friends here Saturday evening.

Mr. L. G. Marlow and wife were entertained by Bethany friends Sunday.

Birt Black of Mt. Zion visited his cousin, Jay Loving Saturday.

Miss Minnie McDonald of Sullivan, who has been visiting her uncle, Prof. A. B. Lynn, returned to her home Wednesday.

Rev. Leland Brown preached to a large audience at the Christian church Sunday.

Mr. Henry Sinclair and wife attended the dance at Dalton Friday night

Quite a number from our village attended church at Sampson Sunday afternoon.

Alfred Thompson of Lovington was seen on our streets Sunday.

Charles Allen of Terre Haute sold G. L. Selders a bill of goods Friday.

Mr. O. P. Shreve and wife visited Lovington Friday.

Doc Foley of this place attended camp-meeting at Decatur Sunday.

Frank Dashiel and Lloyd Sutter of Lovington visited our town Sunday afternoon.

John Woford and Alanson Springer were at Lovington visiting Friday.

Mrs. F. Kiser of Decatur was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Alec Grindel, Saturday and Sunday.

George Seamen and wife and daughter, Mrs. Martha Hammond, spent Sunday with Mrs. Seamen's sister, Mrs. Charles Dickson.

Mrs. James Foley's house is almost ready for occupation. L. D.

July 26.

OREANA.

Mrs. Jake Brown and children, of Bloomington, are visiting friends here.

Misses Myrtle Dillon and Cora Lowe, of Hutchinson, Kan., are visiting Misses Mary and Fannie Maxwell.

Hovey McBride departed to-day for Murphysboro, Ill., where he will remain for some time.

Mrs. Hockaday is on the sick list.

Miss Mollie Wiggins, of Decatur, is visiting friends near Oreana.

Frank Hall left for Saturday for Pontiac, where he will teach school this winter.

Singing at the Baptist church Saturday night was well attended.

Misses Mary Oldweiler and Minnie Bennett are visiting in Decatur.

Miss Edith Querry is visiting relatives in Decatur.

The Pease Sisters gave an entertainment in the opera house Wednesday evening. We were afraid we would lose some of our young men, but they made their appearance all right.

Mr. Webb Betzer, of Nebraska, is visiting his uncle, A. L. Betzer and family.

Mrs. Seip, of Decatur, returned home Saturday, after a few days' visit with her mother, Mrs. Medlow.

Miss Jane Brown and nephew, Rob Shearr, will leave for their home in New Holland this week.

Mrs. Bullock and daughter, Miss Cora, visited friends in Argenta Sunday.

Quite a number of young people from Argenta attended service at the Baptist church Sunday night.

Mrs. Martha Brown visited relatives in Argenta last week.

Mr. J. Greene, of Greene's Switch, did business here yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Wellyp, of Cisco, is visiting Mrs. John McKinley.

Mrs. Oldweiler and son, John, visited in Decatur Friday and Saturday.

Mr. Chas. Hicks departed Saturday for her home in Woodlawn.

Gleil Reed, Will Pensinger, Misses Anna and Mamie Kirby and Alice Spooner, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bullock, attended the camp meeting in Decatur Sunday

Mr. John Oldweiler went to Rowell yesterday on business.

Miss Jane Brown visited Chas. Schuyler and family last week.

Mrs. Wm. Brown, of Decatur, visited here last week.

We are getting tired of seeing the road grader standing on the street; we would be glad if they would put it to use.

The thermometer stood at 102 in the shade yesterday.

Miss Flo Seip, of Decatur, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Medlow.

Messrs. Hovey McBride and Buell Spooner went to Forsythe yesterday evening on business.

Miss Mary Anderson, of Decatur, is visiting relatives near Oreana.

Oats harvest is in full blast.

July28.

DALTON CITY.

B. B. Combest has moved his harness shop into the building occupied by John Huber.

Jas. Honeberg is engaged in repairing his tenant houses.

Geo. Ferre has sold his rent corn to F. J. Freeland.

The village is engaged in repairing the street lamps broken by unknown parties.

J. F. Huber returned home from Niantic Saturday and remained over Sunday.

A large number from here attended the camp-meeting at Decatur Sunday.

Frank Trainer of Bethany transacted business here Monday.

Miss Mary Duggan visited Decatur Tuesday

Misses Cora McClure and Mande Aubert are visiting friends at Bethany this week.

W. A. Webb went to Findlay Tuesday, accompanied by D. H. Ross, to visit J. W. Hillgoss.

Dave Ashmore of Bethany was here Monday setting up a binder for W. F. Logan.

Barbecue Dinner Tickets.

Tickets for the barbecue dinner at Oakland Park, Thursday, July 28th, are now on sale by an appointed committee. As a limited number will be sold, you should secure one at once. Tickets 25 cents each, good for either dinner or supper, and will admit bearer to the park free. Those who have no dinner ticket will be charged 10 cents at the gate.

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Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, received by B. Z. Taylor.

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs—18,000; steady.
Cattle—22,000; lower.

Wheat— Corn —; Oats—	JULY	AUG.	SEPT.
Wheat	$ .77⅞	$ .77⅞	$ .77⅞
Corn	.50¼	.50	.49⅝
Oats	.31	.30¾	.30⅝

	JULY.	SEPT.
Pork	11.95	12.07
Lard	7.25	7.32
Ribs	7.65	7.57½

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20c Dragon Black Organdies at	13c
10c Fast Color Challies at	5c
12½c Toile du Nord Ginghams at	8⅓c
50c China Silks and Surahs, at	25c
$1.00 Black Silk Grenadines at	58c
$2.50 Silk Sun Umbrellas at	$1.50
20c Satin Plaid India Linen at	9c
10c Children's Summer Vests at	5c
15c Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests at	7½c
65c French All Wool Challies at	49c
25c Fine Figured Tissues at	12½c
$1.50 Ladies' Waists at	$1.00

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